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STRATHMORE WON THREE HOCKEY GAMES IN LAST WEEK

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Strathmore 7 High River 0 At Strathmore

Applying the whitewash brush, the local boys took the High River intermediates team into camp to the tune of 7 to 0 on New Year's Day. The ice was first class and about 150 fans took in the game.

Hitting a fast pace in the first period which caught the High River boys flat footed Strathmore notched three goals. Eddie Crellin took a nice pass from Gene Giroux to start the counters for the locals. Jack Crellin trying to get into the spotlight with his brother was right through and then got trip ped up. While on the ice he handed the puck to Collison but referee Mac spotted the play and Jack went to the cooler for a minute to think up a better one for the next time. High River got a minute of the fence for pulling the feet from under Charlie Giroux. Gene then went up alone and slammed a hard one at the Flier's goalie who missed the goal and hit the back fence rebounding out where Gene could flip it in for the second goal. Eddie Crellin and Charlie Giroux coming down together fooled the Fliers and Eddie shot a hard one through the defence which landed in the upper corner of the High River net. At no time was High River dangerous in this period. They looked as if they were stiff and could not get going.

In the second period things started to speed up a bit and three penalties were handed out. All of them accidental trips; High River catching one and Strathmore two. Eddie Crellin notched the fourth goal on a beautiful combination play featuring Gene Giroux, Chas. Giroux and himself. Jack Crellin came right along and slammed his big brother how Mike Moran, Ed Collison and himself could work as nice a combination to get the 5th goal; these three boys each deserved the goal as they were the big ones rebound and Jack was the one to get it in the goal.

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Strathmore 7 High River 2 At High River

On Tuesday the Strathmore team chalked up another victory by defeating the High River Fliers (intermediates) in High River 7 to 2.

The game was much faster than the one in Strathmore on New Year's Day. The H R boys used nice system and skated faster, making it a little tougher for Strathmore.

Ed Collison opened the scoring in the first period, when he took Collison's pass and beat Wolfe with a hard shot from inside the defense line. With only about five minutes left to play in the first period Jack Crellin and Mike Moran broke away and Crellin scored taking Moran's pass just at the mouth. Wolfe had no chance to save it.

McCorquodale scored in the second period for High River and Moran got Strathmore's only counter in this period on a solo rush from centre ice, and beating the H R goalie by pushing the puck between his legs. The period was a lot faster, the Strathmore boys having speeded up a little.

Norklimo scored for H R in the first part of the third period. E Crellin beat Wolfe on a hard shot from outside the defense, which Sid H R goalie didn't see and a few minutes later C Giroux drifted one in from inside the H R defense, making the score 5 to 2. A minute or so later Moran beat the High River defense and scored on a shot from about 25 feet in front of the goal. In the dying minutes of the game Eddie Collison scored with a hard shot from inside the H R defense.

The Strathmore boys all worked hard for this victory and wish to take this opportunity to express their thanks to the management of the High River team for the enjoyable evening they had, both during and after the game.

Mr McCorquodale referred the game to the satisfaction of both teams and the large number of spectators.

The teams lined up as follows:

High River—Wolfe; Peterson; Sorkilmo; Tiemer; Marshall; Pollard; Irving; Pero; C McCorquodale; H McCorquodale; Phillips.

Strathmore—Cleeve; G Giroux; J Groves; Christensen; E Crellin; C Giroux; Moran; Collison; Moran; J Crellin.

Summary— First period

Strathmore, E Crellin from Collison, J Crellin from Moran, penalties H R: McCorquodale, Strathmore, Collison.

Second period— High River, McCorquodale. Strathmore, Moran; Penalties G Giroux for Strathmore; Irving and Marshall for H R

Third period— High River, Sorkilmo, Strathmore, E Crellin, C Giroux, Moran, Collison; Penalties Marshall for High River.

The local team will play the Calgary Monarchs here on Saturday night at 9 p.m.

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LANGDON

Mr and Mrs D Kernaghan, Sr. were very pleasantly surprised last Tuesday evening by a crowd of their friends who came to remind them that twenty five years ago they became man and wife. "500" was played, the prizes for which were won by Mrs D. Kernaghan Jr.; Mr E. Moe; and the consolations by Mrs E. Armstrong and Mr D. Kernaghan, Sr. After a bountiful supper, Mr Armstrong in a very humorous speech, presented Mr and Mrs Kernaghan with a set of tea spoons and tablespoons as a small token of esteem. Everybody had a good time and wished the host and hostess many more years of married life.

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Mr and Mrs J. F. McLeod and Mrs W. Smith of Calgary were Sunday guests at the E Moe home.

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Rev T Towell, Supt of Missions for the United Church preached in the Langdon United Church Sunday morning. Rev A D McDonnell who is enjoying a vacation in New York was to have been here to preach next Sunday but some friends are giving him a trip to Cuba and he will not be back till January 17th. His many friends are glad Rev McDonald has the opportunity of enjoying such a wonderful vacation.

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Miss Marion Wenstrom who teaches near Carstairs was home for the holidays.

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His friends will be glad to know that A Honeyard who was ill in the Holy Cross Hospital is at home now and feeling like himself again.

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Mr and Mrs C Johnson and Dorothy of Arrowwood were holiday guests at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs S Scott.

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The Misses Edith, Hazel and Wilma Braden were home for the holidays.

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Mrs K Jessey was at Seebe, Alberta for a week visiting her son David and family.

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ANOTHER CORRESPONDENT

The Langdon Sports Club are holding a carnival on January 22. See next week's Standard for full particulars.

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Langdon Hockey team motored to Irricana and played a tie game with 10 minutes overtime to a 1-1 score.

Ernie Wright, who has been appointed supreme grand keeper of hockey sticks for the local team says he is going to resign if the Club does not furnish him a more satisfactory car on which to transport them. He had to change cars three times for the Gleichen trip before he found suitable accomodation.

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Mrs R Patterson and children who have been on the invalid list for a few days are able to be out again.

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Mrs Hittle has decided to close the theatre for a time. The pictures fans will be given due notice of the reopening date.

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Billy Keeling who came home to spend the holiday season with his best girl and in his spare time demonstrated his ambition on tooth ers pies, cakes, turkey and plum pudding has returned to take up his studies at Calgary in the school of technology where he now ranks as a lordly Junior in that Academic environment.

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Ross Marshall who played with the High River intermediates is a son of W Marshall, druggist and a former resident of Strathmore. Ross is getting to be a big fellow and only a few of his old play mates recognized him.

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Walter Mercer was taken ill on Saturday and Gene Giroux took him up to the Hospital in Calgary.

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Paul Tucker is a great lover of poultry and is also quite a tourist. On one of his outings he became acquainted with one of Mrs Lueh Richardson's chickens and brought it along as he explained to keep him company. He fell into Const Wallace's hands who suggested a trip to Hotel Wallace where Paul was introduced to the man from Dundee, Mr T M Wears who after finishing up a succulent regarding the poultry business, he decided that Paul needed a change of air and advised a short course of three months at Lethbridge. This to Paul's second trip to Lethbridge he having spent 14 days previously for becoming attached to other people's poultry.

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Jim Swanson was a happy lad on Xmas Eve when he wandered down to Bobby Hambly's 'repee' and located his lost pet goose. I felt all the time that little skirmish Hambly was behind all my goose troubles and now I know it. However I cooled him on getting a Christmas dinner at my expense and in future I intend to keep the bird under lock and key or will send it out to King Kelly's ranch.

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Mr Archie Gray came down from Edmonton to spend Christmas at his home in Strathmore.

DALEMEAD

Skating is again very popular this season. The hills and flats of the Bow River which during the summer months afford excellent grounds for picnic and golf are during the winter months the scene of many a winter frolic. A good hill for sliding on the Mckinnon ranch was secured of its construction a year or so ago and has this winter been transformed into an excellent ski run. Several valuable parties having been held there.

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The U F A held their annual meeting on Tuesday December 19 at the home of Mr Otto Hoffworth, 15 members being present. The secretary Jack Hahle showed a very favorable balance and a fair amount of business done throughout the year. Mr Hahle was again re-elected to the office of secretary treasurer, while P S Pedersen and F C Dalton respectively fill the office of President and Vice President.

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The next meeting of the Local will be held at the Andrew Van Delde on January 12th.

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Mrs Jack Hawkins with his son Billy were visitors with friends at Dalemead during the last week.

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A very enjoyable party was held at the home of Mr and Mrs J J Chalmers on the last day of the Old Year. Games and several rounds of whist and five hundred filled a very enjoyable evening.

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Miss H Walker accompanied by her brother Mr Thomas Walker recently returned from the east. Mr Walker formerly a resident of Millarville, Ont. has been ailing for some time and we all most sincerely hope that his stay in the west will be beneficial to him.

NIGHTINGALE

A pleasant afternoon was spent at the local hall Wednesday 28th, where Rev Winter had decorated a Xmas tree for the children. After a few interesting games, a lunch was served, after which the presents were given to all the kiddies They all left feeling very happy thanks to Rev Winter.

A very good time was had at Mr and Mrs D Jensen's New Year party.

The Nightingale team met the Standard team on the ice at Standard. Nightingale lost, the score being 3 to 5

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COMING EVENTS

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A meeting of the Strathmore District School Fair will be held in the High School on Wednesday January 13th, 1932 at 5 p.m. to arrange the program for the next School Fair.

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Maeve Scales is holding a bridge party on Thursday, January 21st in the Dining Room of the Strathmore Hotel to raise funds for purchasing more Rhythm Band instruments. Good prizes. Everyone Welcome. Admission 35c. Jan-13-1

The Langdon High School team defeated the Dalemead boys 5 to 1 in a fast game last week.

LOCAL JOTTINGS

A most enjoyable Christmas Tree Party was held in Nightingale Hall for the children attending Church Services there, on Wednesday after Christmas. Presents had been received from Mr J Mitchell at Calgary, acting on behalf of the Council for Social Service and the Diocese of Calgary Women's Auxiliary, and from our good friend Hugh Cassy of the Church Army Headquarters in Toronto. These with the good things to eat provided by the people of the locality made it possible to have a very pleasant afternoon by the kindness of the Nightingale Hall management.

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Nels White as everyone knows is very fond of hunting and quite an enthusiast about the big moose which he goes forth in all his glory to hunt each fall but does not always succeed. He wasn't quite clear regarding the marked difference between the mighty buffalo and what is known as the moose, so he asked a well informed Dutch friend of his and was told that the buffalo was the mighty monarch of the forest while the "moose" was the utensil in which to wash your face.

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George Smaith was discussing many economic problems with L Anderson and Bill Inman among which was the question how a farmer had to sell bilder for 2c a lb and if he wore a Duck shoe, pay eleven or twelve dollars a pair. There are a darkey in the woodpile said George as he fell toddled away to refresh themselves with a gingerale.

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The meeting of the C G I T Girls took the form of a social evening Tuesday last when Miss Jean eGroge was presented with a C G I T. R. E. Appreciation to Jean their very best wishes for her success.

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Mr McGregor and Jean will motor to Edmonton leaving Sunday next.

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Mr and Mrs D A Perry motored to Calgary on Sunday last to spend Christmas with friends.

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Miss Lena DeWitt has been confined to her home for several days suffering from a very heavy cold.

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Mr and Mrs Nels White celebrated the seventh anniversary of their wedding Wednesday, Dec 30, by hosting a few of their friends to lunch merry with them at their home. Bridge was played at four tables and some very interesting games were played after dinner at the T E H Patterson were the fortunate winners of the high scores while Mrs Spence Hughes and Mr Nichol were awarded the consolation prizes. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess and a happy social hour spent over the coffee cups. All joined in felicitations to Mr and Mrs White and wishing them anniversaries many times seven.

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Mr John Garrett left Sunday morning for Edmonton after enjoying the Christmas vacation at his home.

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Dr J W Giffen, Sr spent part of the festive season in Edmonton and on his return decided to celebrate the New Year by presenting a "Sunshine Club" comprising 30 of the junior girls of the town. Various interesting activities form a part of the programme and the girls are very enthusiastic about their Club. Friday, December 18, Miss Gray entertained the members and members at a tea, when a very interesting afternoon was spent by all.

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Mr and Mrs Rowe Harvey, Mr and Mrs A C Galbraith and baby spent Christmas at the family home, Hamilton Grange with Mr and Mrs Fred Harvey and Mr and Mrs C Harvey and their children

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The New Year's Eve Dance given under the auspices of the Canadian Legion B E S L of Strathmore was as always a very popular tendency for all lovers the dance and attracted a large number who gathered to welcome the incoming year, in a gay and happy mood. The Hall was very prettily decorated for the occasion under the supervision of Mr W J Paterson. Music furnished by the Bluebird Orchestra enticed all to dance to its tuneful melodies. A buffet supper was served at midnight by a committee of the I O D E convened by Mrs Chamberlain Regent who was assisted by Mrs Freeman, Mr Marsh, Mrs Sweatman, Mrs Bowser and Miss Brown.

The Ladies Aid of the United Church will meet Thursday, January 7th at the home of Mrs T Mileson.

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Dr John Giffen came down from Edmonton to relieve his father who went to Edmonton to spend Christmas.

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C Lydiatt and J Scanson waged a royal battle at the curling rink on Monday night. Lydiatt had a the lead 8 to 1 when Jim discovered that he had left his rabbit back in the sides. He secured the precious luck producer and true to form James proceeded to defeat Lydiatt from that moment, winning out by 10 to 8.

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The January meeting of the Unaghaced Club was held on Monday evening at the home of Miss Mary Bellinger. A paper on the life and works of Ignace Paderewski was read by Miss Jean Mcgregor after which Florence Garrett played "Minuet I' Antique" by Paderewski. The remainder of the meeting took the form of a party honoring Miss Jean McGregor. What prize for bridge was won by Bernice Whiteside while the consolation was awarded Florence Garrett. Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs Rellinger after which the meeting adjourned.

Miss Violet Hyde and Miss Alice Garrett have been successful in passing their Rudiments of Music Examination of the Royal Academy which was written in Calgary in November.

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Axel McGregor is in town receiving acquaintances with his double brother, Jr. As members of Schulte's posse, these two in many of the towns they work in are thought to be brothers but such is not the case and they are really no relation beyond each having been born in Glasgow.

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The many friends of Mr Jack McLean will be sorry to learn that he is seriously ill and without as most a possible chance for his recovery.

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CRAIGANTLER

The Xmas program was a great success under the good management of Miss Morrow. The night before last and there was a splendid gathering from the districts. The dance which followed was successful, not forgetting the ladies for their excellent eatables and coffee. All went home well satisfied.

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Craigantler School took part in the program at Meadowbrook Hall on Wednesday night and their part to the satisfaction of every one.

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The Elwood correspondent wants to know what the oats south of the road one mile west of Craigantler school went per acre. Be aware that the 11 acres went between 60 and 70 bushels. Not so much as on the north of the road but there was a great deal on the ground that was shelled out. The land produced of had been in stubble for a number of years, and irrigated every year, but it did not yield as much as was expected.

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The school children were entertained to a splendid lunch at Chancellor by their last school teacher Mrs Stits. Everyone enjoyed the treat and Mrs Lucy Elder, Mrs H H Ellis and Mrs C Sheets accompanied the children.

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Mr and Mrs Henry Dankwerth and family spent Xmas in Calgary with Mrs Dankwerth's parents Mr and Mrs Mooney.

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W Cillins the explorer spent the New Year at the home of F Dankwerth. Willie has a (Star) 'e guide him.

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The Xmas program at Carnmore School was well attended. the children doing their part well under Miss Bigg, their teacher. After the program the ladies served all kinds of eatables and coffee. Some children's games were enjoyed after which the floor was cleared for a two hours dance. Everyone had a good time.

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"Why are you divorcing your husband?"

"Well, the other night he was reading the paper and I slipped up behind him and kissed him on the bald spot—"

"Yes,"

"And he said, 'quit playing hooey, and get out those letters I dictated yesterday.'"

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Issy— Oi, how I hate Texas!

Algernon— Texas?

Issy— Yes, income Texas.

BISHOP RALPH SHERMAN'S ADDRESS IN HIGH RIVER

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Bishop Ralph Sherman of Calgary gave a very interesting address at High River on the members of the Canadian Legion and the High River Times says of address given by Bishop Sherman was of exceptionally fine nature. Before turning to the substance of his speech, he congratulated Toastmaster Orton on his wonderful attire. He said that to gaze on such sartorial grandeur made a man envious. One unusual note however was struck in the three inch hiatus between the Toastmaster's waistcoat and trouser tops. This gleaming gap of white was no doubt the latest flutter of fashion.

Turning to the real purpose of his address, Dr Sherman said that he did not share the belief that the immediate future looked bright. The world is facing a period of peril greater even than war time. This is not a case where "muddling through" will bring the desired revival of commerce. It is a time when every individual should place his opinions on the side of armament reduction and of reduction of reparations

These matters will be decided at the International Conference in Germany & each country must be represented by the ablest and most conscientious of its leaders. Of all the nations which entered the League of Nations only one country of the fifty two has actually reduced armaments. The speaker was outspoken in criticism of the attitude of France in regard to war reparations. France has demanded that Germany's war debts make precedence over civil debts. The result of this is that Germany is completely drained to pay her debts, and is doing nothing with which to meet civil payments. If France pursues in this attitude Germany will be unable to pay England States banking institutions which have backed German industry. This financial relationships is of such serious nature that it Germany collapses it may be followed by the collapse of United States and world wide disaster. The unfeeling stand of France together with her hostility has late jeopardized the stability of the World War reparations must be cancelled or greatly reduced before prosperity can be assured.

Upon the proclamation "Cease Firing" sounded from Paris in 1918, it did not mean the coming of Peace but rather the beginning of a long road of which we do not see the end. The political and national jockeying of 1919, the Peace Treaty of that time, have brought dissension, unfairness and trouble that has resulted in present conditions. A peace was imposed at that time, and obligations were imposed which can never be realized. There must be a cancellation of debts and a fairer attitude internationally.

There has been too much secrecy deception and dishonesty amongst individuals and nations. They call for peace but in actual action and thought they do not follow the ways of peace.

"I met a man in Bird Cage Walk, On God, he cried 'give peace again Oh cease! I said 'your silly talk' And look into your heart again."

A greater honesty is primarily is required, greater concessions to the interest of peace before that ideal can be realized.

Thirteen years have followed the bitter lessons of war, and what have we made of the world? What are we giving the youth now growing up, in comparison with the opportunities which older people had. We are giving them a miserable deal, with no work and relief but stagnation to look forward to. The economic outlook is destructive to youth. The world is treating this generation unfairly.

After twelve years of Geneva, this is the unhappy result, because everybody has passed the buck and refused to face the issue, which is that peace and prosperity and economic revival can only be brought about by a definite decision to reduce war reparations and proceed with disarmament.

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MERCHANT OF VENICE BANNED

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The city of Buffalo has placed a ban on The Merchant of Venice, because Rabbi Wise objected to Shakespeare's characterization of the Jew in Shylock, alleging that it stirred up hatred and prejudice. He said he had been called of Judas. Faust because of Mephisto. Dickens because of Fagin, Uncle Tom's Cabin because of Simon Legree or any other book or author because of the basely villian. Shylock is not a lovely character by any means, but Shakespeare made him an object of pathos as well as scorn and put in his mouth the strongest arguments ever advanced against anti-Semitic prejudices. The Rabbi says that Shakespeare knew now a Jew; that Jews did not go to England until 1675 and that, anyway, Shylock is not a Jewish name. All right. But why allege that the play stirred hatred and prejudice? Shakespeare's works are more widely read now than they were in his own day, or for a century thereafter and in no country have the Jews prospered more than in Shakespeare's England, where once become Prime Minister and two are now members of the government. Hatred was not achieved by baning The Merchant of Venice.

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PERMIT PROVEN PRECIOUS

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S M Dudley says he has found his liquor permit to be one of the most precious slips of paper that he possesses. It serves so many times in Lethbridge not long ago, he wanted to cash a cheque at the bank. He hadn't a soul to identify him in Lethbridge and began to produce letters and so on from all his pockets. The banker frowned severely, till his eyes fell on the permit. Then his whole manner altered and bowing he said, "Sir, my bank is at your service." Again, when Mr Dudley was crossing the line everyone was quite disagreeable till he flashed the permit. Then the officials pressed him to drink, urging every courtesy upon him. He says travelling with a permit is quite broadening.

—High River Times

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DO YOU BELIEVE IN FAIRIES

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Even the most skeptical must be convinced in spite of himself when he sees King Winter holding court and the whole world transformed into a magically beautiful festive dress of scintillating diamond and purest white. When such mundane things as telephone wires and wire fences become transformed through the touch of the hoar frost Fairy, into things of beauty painted against the inky blueness of the sky, and forlorn looking trees, drab and sear, change into the most fairy like pictures who could still entertain a doubt?

What theatrical setting could imitate it. What painters brush? What author or poet could put it in words? What music could express it? What human mind could even conceive it.

No, this belongs to the realms of fairy fancies, where the whole world becomes transformed into one gigantic beautiful Christmas card.

The above are a few thoughts suggested by the hoar frost landscape of last week. H G M

CHEADLE NEWS

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On Wednesday December 30th, Mr and Mrs O G Craig of Cheadle entertained in honor of their son Williams 22nd birthday. About 10 young people gathered at the Cheadle Community Hall for the evening. Court Whist was played in the early part of the evening with Loretta Mc Mullen of Langdon and Lester Smith of Cheadle holding high scores. The consolation prizes went to Betty Wade of Cheadle and Lloyd Lowe of Langdon. Dancing was then enjoyed for a few hours before supper and continued after supper till the early hours of the morning. Harold Payne of Cheadle furnished the music. Miss Winnie Carr of Calgary entertained those present with a toe dance and a tap dance.

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Misses Alice Wade, Victoria and Freda Allcock of Calgary spent part of their holidays at the home of Miss Betty Wade.

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Mr and Mrs H Law spent Xmas at the home of their son Mr D Law of Edmonton.

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Miss Nora Walker and Miss A Girling returned to their homes for Xmas.

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Mr William Chalcraft of Calgary spent part of his Xmas holidays at the home of his uncle Mr Craig.

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Miss Florence Craig. Mr Ian Keer and Miss Marguirite Klides were home for their holidays after attending school in Calgary.

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Mr and Mrs Charles Payne and family of Calgary spent Xmas at the home of J W Payne, Cheadle.

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Miss Mary Craig of Calgary spent Xmas at the home of her parents.

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SPORT NOTES

PEPPER MARTIN FINDS TIME TO TALK BASEBALL

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Oklahoma City, Last October a youngster from Oklahoma's plains captured the imagination of the sports world by blasting the hopes of the Philadelphia Athletics for three consecutive world series pennants.

Joni Leonard (Pepper) Martin, of the St. Louis Cardinals, was hero of the world series by virtue of uncanny hitting and base stealing. Headlines and a vaudeville tour resulted.

Then came football and its heroes. Pepper was forgotten. He was hero of a sport of yesterday, which will not come to life until next spring at the training camps.

Pepper is enjoying the rest. He is spending the winter months in almost daily hunting expeditions in vigorous preparations for next season. His attractive wife, gun and dogs are his companions.

This week he purchased a suburban duplex which is his head quarters between quail and duck hunts. He paused from work arranging new furniture a task that had to be completed by night, for he leaves at dawn on a four day quail hunt to give the United Press his views of the 1932 baseball outlook.

The Cards are the club for next year.

The race will be tighter.

Hafk Wilson will help the Cards a lot and he's for a good year.

I won't have any trouble signing up.

"I've been having a great time hunting from one end of this state to the other," Martin said, his eyes twinkling in anticipation of tomorrow's hunt.

"Of course, I like to hunt, but I have another purpose.

"Quail shooting quickens the eyes and improves my batting. It calls for quick headwork and snappy eye action."

His shooting eye is not as good as it used to be, he admitted, although with three companions he bagged 50 ducks in three days in northwest Oklahoma. It was suggested the gun might be to blame and he was asked what kind he used.

"A 20 gauge automatic shotgun with a 30 inch full choke barrell. It gives the birds a better chance" he chuckled.

His hunting equipment consists of one gun, two bird dogs, a pointer and a setter and an auto for his frequent jaunts with his wife as a companion.

The Cardinal centre-fielder was in excellent condition and at mid-season weight.

He was jubilant over the Cards prospects.

"I don't see how they're going to stop us," he said enthusiastically. "We were the best balanced club in the National league last year. We ought to be better next year.

"The race will be tighter. Chicago and Brooklyn should be better. The Giants are always tough. Hack Wilson ought to help the Cards a lot. I look for him to have a good year. He's due. And if there's a better second baseman or all round fellow than Frankie Frisch, brother show him to me."

Martin has not received his 1932 contract, usually sent in February, but he anticipated no trouble.

"I won't have any trouble. The Cards have been plenty white to me.

"Mark this, we are the club for next year. On paper we don't look nearly as good as the A's. But it's team work that counts. What makes a ball club is that the player getting $100 a month plays with his heart and soul as much as the man drawing down $20,000 a year."

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BOXING

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Jack Hurley, manager of Billy Petrolle who defeated Townsend in New York corroborates the story which came over the wires that Jack Dempsey and Carnera are to meet in the ring next summer. Hurley promoted the Dempsey fights in Fargo, Duluth and St. Paul.

According to Hurley Dempsey plans to engage in two real tough round battles one against Johnny Risko, in Cleveland or Detroit, and the other against King Levinsky in Chicago, before March. Following these, Dempsey will point for a bout with Primo Carnera in Reno, Nev, December Day as a prelude to giving serious consideration to a tilt with Max Schmeling for the heavyweight title.

If the Carnera match materializes, Hurley said, Dempsey will be the promoter. Incidentally, Hurley said the former champion is supremely confident he can topple the Venetian giant. Hurley's estimation of the present day Dempsey is that he has his old style counted upon to give even Schmeling plenty of trouble for four rounds.

HACK'S PHYSICAL CONDITION WILL DECIDE FUTURE

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St Louis— The result of the physical examination which Hack Wilson underwent in Columbus, O. will determine whether the former Chicago Cubs centrefielder, will be traded by the world champion St Louis Cardinals or given an opportunity to start the 1932 season with the team, it was learned.

Branch Rickey, Vice-President of the Cards said he was "awaiting with interest" the doctor's report from Columbus. From other sources it was learned that if Wilson is found in good condition, and his eyesight improved he will be retained.

Columbus, Ohio, Hack Wilson, since the home run king of baseball returned to his home in Martinsburg, W Va. recently, after a physical examination and conference which may determine his future in baseball.

Before leaving for Martinsburg, Wilson said he had no ailments which could not be corrected before the start of the 1932 season.

"I have been leading a very moderate life," Wilson said. "I have been getting lots o frest and lots of outdoor exercise in West Virginia."

Wilson conferred at length with Larry McPhail, president of the Columbus club of the American Association a farm of the St Louis Cardinals. Wilson told McPhail that his hitting, which was so poor last season with the Chicago Cubs would be as "good as ever in 1932."

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PEPPER FARED NOT SO BADLY

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John (Pepper) Martin, the Temple, Okla. boy who made good with the St Louis Cardinals, has not done so bad for a rookie outfielder in his first year in the majors.

When Martin signed his $1,500 contract with the Cards in the spring, he probably was wondering what kind of a job he could get himself during the winter to make both ends meet.

Martin owned Taylor Doubtin from his entire field forth, played good ball during the regular season and then became the hero of the world series.

Sam Breadon, Card's president, gave Martin a $500 bonus. Martin's cut of the world series money was $1,484. He sold his life story for $700. He indorsed a baseball glove, a patent medicine and a baseball shoe. He signed a vaudeville contract, and made personal appearance in motion picture shows at a salary of about $2,500 a week.

So by the end of the year Martin will have accumulated about $20,000 and can go out and hunt all winter without having to worry about where next month's rent is coming from.

Martin, however, is not quite so fortunate as he might have been if he had performed similar antics with the Chicago Cubs, New York Giants or some other club. The dashing Oklahoma outfielder will be lucky to get a $7,000 contract for 1932. If he were with the Cubs or Giants, he probably would be able to get his salary doubled.

Undoubtedly Martin will be one of the biggest box-office attractions in the National league next season, and he deserves a nice raise in salary.

The Cards however, did Martin a good turn at the close of the season by assigning Clarence Lloyd, secretary of the club to manage his baseball affairs. That little deed probably will save Sam Breadon a couple of thousand dollars next summer, though.

Martin isn't the type of player who would have much success holding out. He loves to play baseball, and chances are he would take another $4,500 contract if someone tried to force it off on him.

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HEARD ON THE STREET

"Was that brute who struck his wife punished by the court?"

"No; when it came to the trial the woman wouldn't acknowledge herself beaten."

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"Does your tiptoe give you any impertinence?"

"No, she charges me twenty dollars a week for it."

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Bernard was generally an irritable. Finding that words had but little effect upon his child, the latter resorted to dierner measures.

A neighbor, watching him chastise the boy noticed with admiration that Bernard gave no audible indication of the pain he was suffering.

"Don't you ever cry when you're beaten, Bernard?" he asked him afterward.

"What's the use?" retorted the small boy. "The old man's deaf."

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"I hear you dropped some money on the Stock Exchange. What were you, a bull or a bear "

"Neither, Just a simple ass,"

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Herb: "I can't imagine what's the matter with me, doctor; I'm continually thinking about myself."

"Tut, tut! You must stop worrying over trifles."

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"Now in order to subtract," the teacher explained, "things have always to be of the same denomination. For instance, we couldn't take three apples from four pears nor six horses from nine dogs,"

"Teacher," shouted a small boy, "you can take four quarts of milk from three cows."

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A rookie in the cavalry was told to report to the lieutenant.

"Private Rooney," said the officer, "take my horse down and have him shod."

For three hours the lieutenant waited for his horse Then, impatiently he sent for Rooney.

"Private Rooney," he said, "where is that horse I told you to have shod?"

"Omigosh!" gasped the private, growing pale around the gills, "Omigosh! Did you say Shod!"

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A farmer took his son to the president of a large bank and asked him to give the boy a job. "You see," he explained "I want him to learn the business and become a bank cashier"

Not very well impressed with the lad, the banker tactfully replied, "That's a good idea but why don't you make a farmer out of him?"

"Well, I thought of that," said the farmer "but you see, the boy's not very bright."

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Doctor: (on the witness stand) "I found the plaintiff to be suffering from abrasion of the cuticle, tumefaction, ecchymosis and extravasation in the integument and cellular tissue about the left orbit"

Counsel for the Defence: "Could'nt you explain that in simpler language?"

Doctor: "Certainly. He had a black eye!"

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Careland School Exams

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Grade XI— Jean Park 64; Josephine Cole 57; Orville Fiksdal 55; Margaret Garnett 42.

Grade X— Gladys Gunsolly 71; Annie Christensen 62; Olga Saddle 58.5; Annie Saddle 58; Harry Moore 51.

Grade IX— Patricia Laurie 74; Selma Stangeren 69; Lily Ostrom 62.6; Doris Standly 62.4 Marian Longmire 61; Frances Cole 45.7; John Meyer 43; Robert Woodrow 33; Joe Giles 32.

R E HOOVER, Principal

Grade VIII— Gladys Standly 75.1 Edna Stinson 73.2; Carroll Christensen 73.5; Margaret Gardner 68.4; Mervin Nelson 69.4; Jack Cole 64.5; Catherine Bishop 56.6.

Grade VII— Helen Christensen 89; Melvin Christensen 45; Marvin Jonlenson 35; Morril Drake 30.

Grade V— Murray Greenwood 66; Bunhart Christensen 65; Eileen Standly 62; Gordon Christensen 60; Vera Stinson 58; Anna Voight 57; Eloise Cote 55; Martin Saddle 51; Richard Christensen 44.

Grade VI— Charlotte Nelson 79; Alice Christensen 69; Bernice Stern 67; David Laurie 65; Irma Dick 63; Carl Peterson 61; June Bartlett 60; Margaret Jamieson 58; Bill Cole 58; Martin Christensen 55; Douglas Dick 54; Milton Cote 47; Carl Anderson 47; Clara Voight 45.

A I PATTERSON

Grade III— Rita Chatelain 82.5; Hazel Hill 79; Mary Jamieson 77; Merton Olson 66.

Grade III— Stanley Dick 81; Kathleen Saddle 69; Dora Hill 69; Norma Stinson 68.3; Arthur Bergquist 68; Maisie Christensen 67.5; John Christensen 60; George Voigt 51; La Vern Cole 43; Eric Barlow 41;

Grade II— Harry Christensen 87; Lois Longmire 85; Paul Ostrom 82; Lillian Fryer 79; Zella Dick 76; Norman Voight 75; Eddie Bishop 62; Harold Christensen 62; Darrell Cote 51.

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WORLD CONDITIONS AFFECTED CANADA'S FOREIGN TRADE

World conditions have materially affected Canada's foreign trade says the monthly letter of the Royal Bank. The reduction in the purchasing power of many of the countries which ordinarily buy Canadian products, has been reflected in our exports. The aggregate value of our foreign trade has declined over one third during the past year. During the twelve months ended November 30th, exports were valued at $631,000,000 as compared with $928,000,000 in the previous year. A large part of this may be attributed to the decline in the value of wheat exported and to smaller shipments of base metals but exports of newsprint and other pulp and paper products, automobiles, rubber tires agricultural implements, beverages and asbestos have also fallen off. Imports declined from $1,033,000,000 to $648,000,000 during the same period. Prices have been declining steadily, so that the decrease in volume is by no means as great as the difference in total value would seem to indicate.

Canada has been fortunate in maintaining her production and general business activities at present levels when other countries are faced with conditions of the greatest difficulty. Unemployment and its accompanying hardships have been felt less in Canada than in most countries. Promising features in the present economic outlook include the healthy condition of savings deposits, the strong technical position of Canadian manufacturers and a prosperous gold mining industry. The decline in activity of trade has been reflected in the falling off in the volume of current loans and clearing house returns. The most difficult situation in Canada is that of agriculture. A revival of world trade and a return of profits to agriculture must precede any general return of prosperity to this country, but Canada is weathering this period of difficulty in a favorable manner and will be in an admirable position to participate in the first material advance.

PROVINCIAL POLICE PERFORM MANY EXTRA DUTIES

The Bassano Mail says: Turning over the policing of the province to the Royal Canadian Mounted Police may save Alberta a few thousand dollars, but Premier Brownlee will have to hire a few new hands to do the one hundred and one jobs the present force now does in addition to its regular police work.

Wife— Those pearls make a lovely birthday gift. Thank you so much, but I have a confession to make. This isn't really my 39th birthday. I've always lied about my age."

Husband— That's all right. Those aren't genuine pearls.

Dr. A. W. Girvin

announces removal of office to 310 Odd Fellows Temple, Centre St. at Sixth Ave, Calgary

PETE DE KORT

Carpenter

STRATHMORE

WEEKLY NEWSPAPERS SURELY PAY BIG RETURNS

The Bulletin, Collingwood, Ont. says it all very concisely for us, in the following:

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Almost every newspaper puts money into the pockets of non subscribers. This is continuously the case when the newspaper leads or supports any movement which brings trade to the town in which it is published. It is the case when the newspaper hammers for local improvements—the spending of a dollar that two may grow in its place to-morrow.

The weekly newspaper at two dollars a year costs the subscriber four cents an issue. We defy anyone to point out where the subscriber can spend four cents and get an equal amount of pleasure and real value.

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Molly Cassidy— Share Pat, I had a certificate of karakter, but I lost it comin' over. Phwat shall I do?"

Pat Murphy— Never moind, Molly. I'll write ye wan.

Writes like this— This is to certify that Molly Cassidy had a good karakter before she lift the ould country, but losht it on shipboard comin' over.

STRONG POSITION MAINTAINED BY THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA

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Total assets over $25 millions— Liquid Assets Stand at $248,620,000— Profits of $5,448,327 amply cover dividends and usual appropriations.

The maintenance of its usual strong position and ready ability to meet the rapidly changing trade conditions are among the outstanding features of the annual report of The Royal Bank of Canada. The statement, which is for the fiscal year to November 30th, is now going forward to shareholders. It will be immediately accepted as further striking proof of the successful manner in which Canadian banks are dealing with the problems brought about by depressed business conditions.

The general statement of assets and liabilities shows total assets in excess of $25,000,000, a reduction of only about 7 per cent, as compared with the amount reported at the end of the previous year, in the light of lower commodity prices and general slackening of activity, the maintenance of total assets at such a high level should be regarded as a remarkably good showing. In keeping with its policy the Bank's liquid position, as usual is a strong one, liquid assets totalling $248,620,551, or over 48 per cent of liabilities to the public. The principal accounts included among them are cash items of $156,286,881; bonds and Provincial Government securities of $85,472, 058 and Canadian Municipal and British foreign and colonial public securities of $24,641,816. Call Loans total $76,292,300 and naturally represent a substantial reduction for the year, those in Canada being down $18,847,955, or 33 per cent and those abroad over $7,000,000.

The generally lessened business activity is further reflected in commercial loans which are $419,345, 043 as compared with $444,193,877 a year ago. Letters of Credit also show a reduction— nearly $10,000,000— obviously due to curtailed international trade.

Total deposits stand at $647,393,975 as against $655,589,060 at the end of the 1930 year. The decline, as is well known has been principally in deposits elsewhere than in Canada, those in the Dominion being down only $7,195,206, and now amount to $479,165,064, as against $486,325,264.

Satisfactory Profits

The many shareholders of the Bank will be particularly interested in the Profit and Loss account and the showing made should be regarded as very satisfactory. Profits for the year amounted to $5,448,327, and these added to the amount brought forward from the preceding year brought the total available for distribution up to $9,555,105. Payment of the usual 12 per cent dividend absorbed $4,200,000; a contribution of $200,000 was made to Officers Pension Fund; the usual amount of $400,000 was appropriated for Bank premises and $600,000 was set aside for Dominion Government taxes. After meeting all these charges theusbstantial amount of $4,155,105 was carried forward to credit of Profit and Loss into the next fiscal year.

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"Pardon me," said the golfer, as he caught up to the members playing ahead of him. "Would you mind if I played through? I've just heard that my house is on fire."

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Eighth grade pupils, taken on a trip to the dairy farm, were asked by their instructor to write a description of what they saw. One wrote: "The cows stand in long rows. They have chains around their necks so they cannot eat while milking."

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A girl was complaining to her chum of the way her steady was treating her. "Why don't you give him the mitten?" the friend asked.

"It isn't a mitten he needs, its a pair of socks he's got cold feet," was the answer.

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CHEADLE SENIOR ROOM CHRISTMAS STANDING

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Grade X— Ruby Welshimier, Lit 2, 75; Alg 2, 76; Lat 1, 84; Hist 2, 62; Comp 2, 84; French 1, 89; Art 1, 7.

Grade IX— Muriel Hartell, Lit 1, 91; Science 94; Alg 1, 97; Hist 1, 88; Comp 1, 85; French 1 92; Art 1, 85; Lyda McLean Lit 1, 89; Science 94; Alg 1, 88; Hist 1, 92; Comp 1, 96; French 1 87; Art 1, 78 Elva Schumann: Lit 1, 84; Science 83; Alg 1, 91; Hist 1, 80; Comp 1, 76; Art 1, 81; Vernon Miner: Lit 1, 84; Science 82; Alg 1, 68; Hist 1, 82; Comp 1, 77; Art 1, 79; Ruth Kirton: Lit 1, 82; Science 79; Alg 1, 63; Hist 1, 66; Comp 1, 85; French 1, 78; Art 1, 81; Dorothy Sugden missed most tests through illness.

Grade VIII— Martha Hartell Arith 89; Lit 97; Comp 89; Writ 78; Art 82; Agric 92; Hyg 88; Spell 100; Hist 92; Geog 94; Gram 82; Civics 100; Betty Wade: Arith 88; Lit 94; Comp 85; Writ 77; Art 74; Agric 86; Hyg 94; Spell 98; Hist 84; Geog 92; Gram 77; Civics 97; Cecil Barber: Arith 80; Lit 94; Comp 78; Writ 75; Art 67; Agric 86; Hyg 86; Spell 96; Hist 72; Geog 83; Gram 85; Civics 94.

Grade VII— Verna Barber Arith 78; Lit 88; Comp 81; Writ 84; Art 77; Agric 77; Hyg 87; Spell 100; Hist 91; Geog 89; Gram 92; Civics 92; Evelyn Baldwin, Arith 88; Lit 90; Comp 84; Writ 74; Art 71; Agric 65; Hyg 85; Spell 98; Hist 93; Geog 88; Gram 84; Civics 88; Violet Hartell, Arith 82; Lit 96; Comp 73; Writ 75; Art 70; Agric 72; Hyg 81; Spell 97; Hist 84; Geog 88; Gram 92; Civics 87. Olga Komich, Arith 55; Lit 74; Comp 76; Writ 82; Art 64; Agric 59; Hyg 75; Spell 99; Hist 60; Geog 61; Gram 87; Civics 67. E Smith, Arith 44; Lit 56; Comp 59; Writ 71; Art 72; Agric 39, Hyg 50 Spell 92; Hist 45; Geog 67; Gram 64; Civics 56; Selmer Torgrimson, Arith 70; Lit 63; Comp 58; Writ 73; Art 67; Agric 56; Hyg 68; Spell 77; Hist 63; Geog 79; Gram 58; Civics 55.

Grade VI— Harry Kirton, Arith 77; Lit 93; Comp 73; Writ 79; Art 75; Nature 70; Hyg 73; Spell 99; Hist 85; Geog 92; Gram 93. Roy Payne, Arith 81; Lit 88; Comp 65; Writ 79; Art 72; Nature 71; Hyg 77; Spell 97; Hist 68; Geog 85; Gram 86; Homer Schaumann, Arith 63; Lit 85; Comp 64; Writ 77; Art 72; Nature 86; Hyg 75; Spell 96; Hist 64; Geog 78; Gram 76; Jack Hartell, Arith 70; Lit 86; Comp 63; Writ 75; Art 62; Nature 71; Hyg 75; Spell 90; Hist 66; Geog 82; Gram 80; Donald Komich, Arith 70; Lit 72; Comp 58; Writ 77; Art 65; Nature 56; Hyg 76; Spell 86; Hist 62; Geog 77; Gram 72.

The above marks are the averages obtained on the monthly tests.

ANNE GIRLING, Principal

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Battered Motorist (waking up day after Christmas): "Where am I? Where am I?"

Nurse: "This is number 312. Is M "Room or cell?"

HOCKEY NOTES

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Continued from front page

The third stanza presented the Fliers playing every man but the goal tender up the ice in an endeavor to get at least enough to break the dark egg. Eagle Eye Cleeve fooled them however turning all sixes aside in regular N H L style. Just to show the H R gang that a couple more goals would not hurt Jack Crellin notched one on a beautiful pass from Eddie Collison which the goal tender never smelled. Blocking a rush Gene spent a minute on the fence for getting his stick tangled up in a Flier's legs. Charlie Giroux gave as nice an exhibition of stick handling as has been seen on local ice for some time when he went through absolutely alone and tricked in the seventh goal for Strathmore.

No special mention can be made of any player as every one worked like Trojans both on attack and defense. It is very creditable to see the forward lines back checking and helping out the defencemen.

The local boys are dishing up a fine brand of hockey this winter and the fans will be well advised to keep their money at home and patronize the boys. You can't see a much better brand of hockey outside of paid ranks.

A V McFarland, refereed the game.

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Strathmore 3 Glencairn 1

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The Strathmore Hockey Team defeated the Glencairn "Farmers" in a rough and uninteresting game on Sunday at the Glencairn rink by a 3-1 score.

Moran opened the scoring in the first period by taking a pass from Jack Crellin and scoring with a back hand shot.

Downey scored for the Farmers on a shot from centre ice, in the second period.

Collison picked the puck up near the defense and scored, and a few minutes later, Moran, Collison and E Crellin went through, Crellin scoring the goal after a piece of nice combination by the trio.

Summary— Strathmore, Moran; Glencairn, Downey; Strathmore Collison, B Crellin.

Strathmore— Cleeve, C Giroux, R Christensen, J Crellin, Moran, Collison, E Crellin, L Christensen, McGregor.

Glencairn— B Groves, J Groves, D Forcster, B Warrack, J Warrack, H Downey, L Groves, J Voremans, I Peterson.

Referee, Leslie West.

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Teacher: "Chuck, parse the sentence, 'Tom married Jane'."

Chuck: "Tom's a noun 'cause he's the name of something; married's a conjunction 'cause it joins Tom to Jane; and Jane's a verb 'cause she governs the noun."

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NOTICE

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Berta Vale S D No. 2331. The Annual Meeting of the Ratepayers will be held at the School house, on Friday January 15th, at 2 p.m.

R J KEARNS, Sec-Treas
Jan 13-p

CHURCHES

PARISH OF ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH

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10th Jan. 1st Sun. after Epiphany 8.30 a.m. Holy Communion
11 a.m. Morning Prayer, "John's Baptism"
12.15 Sunday School
7.30 p.m. Evensong. "The Upper Canada Tract Society"
Nightingale Hall Service 2 p.m.

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SACRED HEART CHURCH ORDER OF SERVICE STRATHMORE

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First Sunday of Month— Low Mass at 9 a.m.
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Every Sunday— Rosary and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 7.30 p.m.
Every Thursday— Rosary and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament at 7.30 p.m.
Holy Days of Obligation— High Mass at 9 a.m.
Every Week Day— Mass 8 a.m.
Every First Friday of Month— Sacred Heart Devotions, 7.30 p.m.
Catechism Classes Every Saturday— 3 to 4 p.m.

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ST JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH LANGDON, ALTA.

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2nd and 4th Sundays— Mass at 8 a.m.

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ST PHILLIP'S CHURCH CARSELAND, ALTA.

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First Sunday of Month— High Mass at 11 a.m.
2rd and 5th Sundays— Low Mass at 9 a.m.
Every Wednesday— Rosary and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament, 7.30 p.m.
Holy Days of Obligation— Mass at 8 a.m.
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The annual meeting of the Ratepayers of the Hervey S D No. 2185 will be held in the School House Tuesday, January 12th, 1932, at 2 p.m.

H E CHAMBERLAIN
Secretary

Dec-31-p

READ THE WANT ADS

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

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In the estate of Mrs Ella Lucetta Matthews Buckerfield, Widow, late of the Town of Strathmore, in the Province of Alberta, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims on the estate of the said Ella Lucetta Matthews Buckerfield, who died on the 3rd of March 1927 are required to file with the undersigned, Solicitor for the Executors by the 10th day of February 1932, a full statement duly verified, of the claims and any securities held by them, and that after that date the Executors will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or brought to their knowledge.

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The Memorial Committee have decided in view of the prevailing circumstance to make a reduction in the rental charges for the Memorial Hall for this year and the following rates are now in force

All other charges are unchanged
Main Hall for Meetings and Concerts $15.00
Main Hall for Dance $20.00
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MAY ASK PARDON FOR MAN WHO HAS BEEN IN PRISON FOR 58 YEARS

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Boston, Mass.— The advisability of asking Governor Joseph B Ely to pardon Jesse Pomroy, one of the few life term prisoners now being considered by the special committee of the governor's council investigating state penal institutions. Pomroy, who has been in prison for 58 years, longer than any other man in the country's history was visited by council members recently.

The 73 year old convict, who was sentenced to life for the murder of a boy, took the stand that he was more entitled to a pardon than scores of others who have been freed from year to year.

Pomroy also revealed that two persons have offered to provide a home for him in the event he was pardoned. One of them was Sir Walter Scott and the other Mrs Evangeline Booth of the Volunteers of America.

Rockyford

About 29 of the High School pupils with Mr and Mrs George Katterhagen as leaders had arranged a Treasure hunt for last week but owing to the heavy snow of that day their plans were spoiled. However they all gathered at the Landseer School House and spent a very enjoyable evening in dancing and music. Mr W F Allen and Miss May Birt supplied the music

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The Rockyford Curling Club have made arrangements to have a bonspiel the second week of January. Some splendid prizes have already been received and before the date of opening the list will be very attractive.

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The first hockey game of the season between Meadowbrook and Rockyford Seniors was played on Wednesday evening, December 23 on the home ice an enthusiastic audience were in attendance and gave their respective sides much encouragement. The Rockyford team succeeded in gaining the occasional goal until the score stood 6 to 0 in the first of the 3rd but Meadowbrook rallied and managed to put over two, leaving the final score 7 to 2 in favor of the home team. The players were all enthusiastic about the wonderful improvement in the rink, with extra width, and three strings of lights. A further game will be held soon.

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Installation of officers of Rockyford Lodge No. 123 A F & A M took place last evening, Dec. 28th. The ceremony was performed by Wor Bro Black, Retiring Master, assisted by Wor Bro W McMillan and the newly elected officers are as follows: W A Bullas, W M; E Ross, S W; C Bridwell J W; E W Past Chaplain; R L Stone, Treas; W Carpenter, Secretary; C R Wallrod, Tyler; A Sangster, Inner Guard; P Colbert, Registrar; H E Wise, S D; W Bullas and J D; H R Williams, S S; T Birt J S. The meeting was followed by an oyster supper after which the members were given an opportunity to express their intentions and desires for the coming year. The new W M issued a strict injunction against Old Man Depression and delegated to the Tyler the authority to make full use of his weapon in seeing that this order is obeyed.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Misses Agnes and Alice Barry are leaving for Calgary next week, where they will take a special course in Finger Waving.

They will continue to operate the Beauty Parlor in the King Edward Hotel every Friday and Saturday as usual.

The public school boys of Tudor and Rockyford met in a game of hockey on the Rockyford rink on the afternoon of January 3rd. The boys played a good game and they are showing up wonderfully well towards a future hockey team for this district. The score was 3 to 1 in favor of Rockyford

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The Senior Hockey Team motored to Carbon on the afternoon of January 3rd. They were rather short of players but did their best returned victorious with a score of 4 to 2 in their favor. Several games are being arranged for this week.

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Many high school pupils are back to their different schools again after spending their Xmas holidays at home or away from home and the last half of the term got away to a good start on Monday January 4th and Tuesday the 5th.

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One of the most popular dances of the season took place in the hall on Thursday December 31st, when the Ratepayers Association put on their annual New Year's Eve celebration. The Albertans played their usual brand of peppy music and the crowd was loath to quit when the home sweet home was played in the small hours of the morning. The Ladies of St Rita's Church served a very tasty lunch at midnight.

FAIRPLAY

Fairplay School was packed to the doors when the pupils presented their annual Christmas concert and tree. Each number showed careful preparation form start to finish and much credit is due the teacher Miss Kathleen Lee for the success of this concert.

Mr Houston who acted as Chairman also contributed greatly to the success of the program. Jolly Santa Claus (Jack Little) arrived at the end of the concert and distributed presents to all the children from the heavily loaded Xmas tree, also nuts, candy and oranges were distributed to children and adults.

The following items were presented.

O Canada; pupils
With Quaking Hearts We Welcome You; Pupils
No Stockings to Wear; recitation by Florence Lowe

HOCKEY GAME

STRATHMORE
vs
CALGARY MONARCHS

SATURDAY JAN. 9

at 9.00 p. m. sharp

Admission .25 and 15

Strathmore Skating Rink

The Questioner; Dialogue
A Good Boy; recitation by Bill Midkiff. 8
If Only I Had a Home Sweet Home; solo by Iris Albertson
The Longest Day in the Year; recitation by Doris Drake.
Buster's Report Card; dialogue
Recitations by Jean, Mary, Nora and Marvin
Merry Xmas Day; Song, pupils
Jennie Entertains Sister's Beau; Monologue by Verna Peterson
Christmas Lullaby; song 5 girls
A Christmas Song; J Houston
A Christmas Lesson; dialogue
Ted Goes Xmas Shopping; monologue by Helen Lowe
Garland Drill; Pupils
A Christmas Telephone; by Iris Albertson
Lysander; dialogue
Sing a Song for Xmas Day
A Present for Aunt Jane; recitation by Jack Houston
There's a Song in the Air; by four girls.
Trials of School Life, by Geneva Lowe.
Christmas Time; Song, school

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Mrs H O Peterson has returned home after spending a very enjoyable time at Innisfail.

Mrs E Howe was a visitor at the home of Mrs K Fanning of Calgary.

Mrs John Anderson is visiting her daughters in Saskatchewan and intends to remain for the winter.

Congratulations are extended by the writer to Mr and Mrs Joe Garnett Carseland

Miss Edith and Hazel Braden of Calgary spent the holidays with their parents Mr and Mrs W Braden.

The Royal Bank of Canada

General Statement 30th November, 1931

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid up		$35,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	$25,000,000.00	
Balance of Profits carried forward	4,155,105.41	
		$29,155,105.41
Dividends Unclaimed		3,723.73
Dividend No. 177 at 12% per annum, payable 1st December, 1931		1,050,000.00
		$65,213,829.14
Deposits not bearing interest	$170,913,903.64	
Deposits bearing interest, including interest accrued to date of Statement	476,389,171.86	
Total Deposits	$647,303,075.50	
Notes of the Bank in Circulation	34,447,384.00	
Advances under Finance Act	3,000,000.00	
Balances due to other Banks in Canada	836,783.17	
Balances due to Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada	16,455,800.18	
Bills Payable	3,121,924.13	
Liabilities not included in the foregoing	367,360.18	
		$705,532,327.16
Letters of Credit Outstanding		2,970,503.16
		$773,716,659.46

ASSETS

Gold and Subsidiary Coin on hand		$27,530,855.47
Deposits with the Bank of England		39,169,403.25
Deposit in the Central Gold Reserves		3,000,000.00
Dominion Notes on hand		19,542,986.38
United States and other Foreign Currencies		1,934,946.10
		$91,178,191.20
Notes of other Canadian Banks	$85,543,265.10	
Cheques on other Banks	29,329,297.98	
Balances due by other Banks in Canada	3,344.37	
Balances due by Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada	16,032,666.96	
Dominion and Provincial Government Securities not exceeding market value	85,673,958.48	
Canadian Municipal Securities and British, Foreign and Colonial Public Securities other than Canadian not exceeding market value	24,641,810.84	
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks not exceeding market value	11,938,604.81	
Call and Short (not exceeding thirty days) Loans in Canada on Bonds, Debentures and Stocks and other Securities of a sufficient marketable value to cover	39,137,360.36	
Call and Short (not exceeding thirty days) Loans elsewhere than in Canada on Bonds, Debentures and Stocks and other Securities of a sufficient marketable value to cover	37,156,111.72	
		$349,636,351.82
Current Loans and Discounts in Canada (less rebate of interest) after making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts		$291,576,220.34
Current Loans and Discounts elsewhere than in Canada (less rebate of interest) after making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts	124,581,388.79	
Acceptances of Customers, as per contra	3,187,434.43	
		$419,345,043.56
Bank Premises at not more than cost, less amounts written off		17,277,976.75
Real Estate other than Bank Premises		2,353,752.66
Mortgages on Real Estate sold by the Bank		901,177.18
Liabilities of Customers under Letters of Credit as per contra		3,187,434.43
Shares of and Loans to Controlled Companies		5,732,700.00
Deposit with the Minister for the purposes of the Circulation Fund		1,500,000.00
Other Assets not included in the foregoing		844,426.84
		$835,703,486.82

NOTE—The Royal Bank of Canada (France) has been incorporated under the laws of France to conduct the business of the Bank in Paris, and the assets and liabilities of the Royal Bank of Canada (France) are included in the above General Statement.

H. S. HOLT, President
M. W. WILSON, General Manager

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

TO THE SHAREHOLDERS, THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA:

We have examined the above Statement of Liabilities and Assets at 30th November, 1931, with the books and accounts of The Royal Bank of Canada at Head Office and with the certified returns from the branches. We have verified the cash and securities at Head Office at the close of business on the last business day in the year we examined the cash and examined the securities at one of the important branches.

We have obtained all the information and explanations that we have required, and in our opinion the transactions of the Bank, which have come under our notice, have been within its powers of the Bank. The above statement is in our opinion properly drawn up so as to disclose the true condition of the Bank as at 30th November, 1931, and it is as shown by the books of the Bank.

W. GARTH THOMSON, C.A.
of Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co.
A. B. BRODIE, C.A.
of Price, Waterhouse & Co.
} Auditors.

Montreal, Canada, 28th December, 1931.

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 29th November, 1930		$4,106,779.29
Profits for the year ended 30th November, 1931		5,448,327.23
		$9,555,106.52

APPROPRIATED AS FOLLOWS:

Dividends Nos. 174, 175, 176 and 177 at 12% per annum	$4,200,000.00
Contribution to Pension Fund	200,000.00
Appropriation for Dominion Government Taxes, including Tax on Bank Note Circulation	600,000.00
Balance of Profit and Loss carried forward	4,155,105.41
	$9,555,105.41

H. S. HOLT, President
M. W. WILSON, General Manager

Montreal, 28th December, 1931

PIONEER MEAT MARKET

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Heinz Sweet Relish, per lb 20c
Heinz Gerkens per lb 25c
Choice Mincemeat, 2 lbs 35c

OTHER SPECIALS NOT ADVERTISED

Job Printing

Quickly Accurately and Neat

THE STANDARD

Ski Runners of the Canadian Rockies

With a field of activity unequalled the world over the new winter sports association the Ski Runners of the Canadian Rockies, is rapidly coming into prominence among skiers and winter sports enthusiasts generally. The new organization is patterned largely after the famous Trail Riders and its locale, unequalled for scenery and facilities on this continent and probably without a rival even in Europe, is Banff, in the heart of the Rockies, with runs and trails varying from one to ten days in duration and covering such world-known objectives as Mount Assiniboine, Simpson Pass, Shadow Lake, Lake Louise, Ptarmigan Valley and Pass, Bow Lakes and Pipestone Pass. Ski-ing over some of these passes is in full swing up late as June when visitors are enjoying golf and tennis, fishing and hiking, in the valleys below. But the sport begins in November each year.

A thousand feet above Banff and about an hour out from the town is the ski lodge built on the pass between Mounts Norquay and Stoney Squaw. From the club house runs radiate in all directions with cabins and shelters at strategic points for rest and refreshment. There is a 50-metre Jump at Buffalo Park and every year in February (this year February 7-14) a tournament is held where the pick of Canadian and outside jumpers compete.

Lay-out shows (1) Ski track across virgin snow with Mt. Assiniboine, 11,400 feet high, in background; (2) Canadian Pacific Bungalow Camp at Magog headquarters for ski-ing at Mt. Assiniboine; (3) Mount Norquay Ski Lodge, 1000 feet above Banff, overlooking the Bow River, with dog team in foreground and (4) The Towers, on Wonder Pass, near Mt. Assiniboine, one of the finest winter scenes in the Rockies.